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Handsomely printed, kept constantly on hand, an (Mesers. WM. D. MALONE and N. B. COATES are our authorized Agents, at Huntsville.

Doct. J. B. Alexander,

AVING permanently settled in the town o Fayette, would respectfully offer his medical services, in the various branches of his profession, to the citizens of Howard County.

O Office, west side of the public square, between the store of Hughes, Birch & Ward and the Sheriff's Office. Fayette, March 14th, 1846. Doct. A. S. Dinwiddie,

GRATEFUL for past patronage, still continues to offer his MEDICAL SERVICES to the citizens of Howard County.

Office on the South East side of the public square, where he can usually be found in the day; at night—at his residence, west of the Baptist Church, at the former residence of Gen. Wilson. Fayette, March 21st, 1846. 2—10m

Thomas H. Larkin, Commission and Forwarding Merchant and

Wholesale dealer in STAPLE GROCERIES AND BROWN SHEETINGS,

No. 59 Water Street, St. Louis. 6- Advances made on consignments for sale in St. Louis, New Orleans, or any of the Eastern Cities. [St. Louis, March 14th, 1846. 1—6m

100 Pairs French Burr MILL STONES.
Dutch anker square mesh BOLTING
CLOTH; wove wire for FAN MILLS and SCREEN
MILL Spindles; Screws; SMUT MACHINES;
Portable GRIST MILLS for horse powers. &c.
A large supply constantly kept on hand of the best qualities, manufactured and imported by the sub-

Also—A large assortment of CARDS for CARD-ING MACHINES. G. & C. TODD, No. 217 North First or Main Street, St. Louis, Mo. St. Louis, February 7th, 1946. 48—6m

A Bargain.

I offer for sale, a House and Lot, in Glasgow, well situated for a private family and business house. The building is nearly new; has four rooms above and two below; together with a kitchen, cellar, smoke house and a well of first rate water in the WM. BOYD.

WM. BOYD.

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"" Striped "Barage, ""

"" Parasols "" Braid Bonnets,

Glasgow, Arrow Rock, Boonville Thread Edgings and insertings, Rocheport, Jefferson City and all

Intermediate Landings. REGULAR PACKET. 1846.1

The new and splendid passenger steamer WAPELLO.
N. J. EATON, master, will resume her regular weekly trips from St. Louis to GLASCOW, on the opening of navigation. She will leave St. Louis, as heretofore, every SATURDAY, at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, and will leave Glasat 6 clock in the afternoon, and will leave Glasgow, on her return trip, every Tuesday, at 10 o'clock in the morning, and will be at Arrow Rock. Boonville, Rocheport, Providence and Nashville, the same day. She will be at Marion, Jefferson City, Mouth of Ossge, Smith's Landing, Portland, Hermann, Loure Island, Pinckney and Washing.

Hermann, Loure Island, Pinckney and Washing. Washing and Washing. Washing and will reach St. Louis ton, every Wednesday, and will reach St. Louis Thursday morning. Should the water be too low at any time for the

Clerk on board January 24th, 1946.

[1946 MONDAY PACKET. 1846.] For Portland, Jefferson City, Boonvi Glasgow and Brunswick, Mo. River. Boonville,

The new and splendid steam LEWIS F. LINN, Capt. er LEWIS F. LINN, Capt
M. KENNETT, will resume her regular trips in the above trade on the open ing of navigation, leaving St. Louis every Monday at 5 o'clock, P. M., and will be at Herman, Portland and Jefferson City every Tuesday; at Marion, Nashville, Rocheport, Boonville, Glasgow and Brunswick every Wednesday, Returning, the Lann will leave Brunswick every Thursday, at 7 o'clock, A. M., and Glasgow at 11 o'clock, A. M. will be at Arrow Rock, Boonville, Rocheport, Providence and Nashville same day; at Marion, Stonesport, Jefferson City, Cote Sans Dessein, Smith's Landing, Portland, Loutre Island, Her-man, Washington, South Point and St. Charles on riday, and arrive in St. Louis early on Saturday morning. The Linn has been newly sheathed and fully refitted, and prepared for business. Passengers and shippers may rely upon the promptitude at the assortment of these celebrated Specof her arrivals and departures. For speed and tacles. They are entirely of American Manufaccomfort, she is not surpassed by any boat in the trade. Every pains will be taken to give general satisfaction to those who may favor her with their

January 24th, 1846.

PLAX-SEED .- The highest market price will be paid for Flax-seed, in Goods, by
J. RIDDLESBARGER & Co. Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

Whisky. CONSTANTLY on hand, of a superior quality, at the Franklin Distillery, for cash, or in exchange for Rye.

M. F. GAAR. for Rye. M. F. GAAR. Howard county, February 28th, 1846. 51--tf

Dr. Wm. R. Snelson,



Wholesale and retail dealer in Drugs, Medicines, Paper, Stationery, &c., is now receiving the largest stock of Drugs. &c.. ever imported to this market, which he is determined shall be sold at the very lowest prices. Physicians and dealers gener-

ally, are respectfully invited to call. Fayette, april 18th, 1846.

FAMILY BIBLES.—A few splendidly bound and gilt edged family bibles, for sale by WM. R. SNELSON.

Fayette, april 18th, 1840. HAPMAN'S MAGIC RAZOR STROPS-just Poenoke. May 9th, 1846.

SHOES—A good assortment of Ladies' and Gents Shoes, for sale by J. P. Johnston. Roanoke, May 9th, 1846.

BOON'S LICK TIMES.

"ERROR CEASES TO BE DANGEROUS. WHEN REASON IS LEFT FREE TO COMBAT IT."-JEFFERSON.

FAYETTE, MISSOURI, SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1846.

BOONVILLE BOOK STORE. A S the above establishment will positively be closed in the ensuing month, the subscriber now offers the following assortment at wholesale or retail at very reduced prices for cash:

Miscellaneous Books in great variety,
Law and Medical Books,
School and Classical Books, of every kind now in use in this section of the State.

Vol. 7.

in use in this section of the State, Family and Pocket Bibles,

Testaments, Prayer Books, Hymn Books, of every denomination, Blank Books of all sizes, Cap. Letter and Note Paper, Quills, Steel Pens, Black, Blue and Red Inks,

Wafers, and all other articles in the Sta tionery line,
Playing and Printing Cards,
Backgammon Boards, Chessmen, Dominoes,
Wall Paper and Fire Screens, Perfumery of every description, Combs and Brushes of all kinds,

Pen and Pocket Knives in great variety, Silver Pencils, Jewelry, Purses, Pocket Books, Musical Instruments, &c., &c Persons in want of any of the above articles are requested to give me a call as they will be certain of getting bargains.

E. HART. getting bargains. Boonville, April 11th, 1846.

Drugs, Medicines, Books, &c., AT REDUCED PRICES, BY WM. R. SNELSON,

FAYETTE, Mo. JUST received and now opened, a large and well selected stock of--

Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Paints, Dye-stuffs, Perfumery, Glass, &c., which having been purchased and carefully selected by himself in person and will be sold at a great

reduction on former prices.

Particular attention paid to filling orders from Physicians, with FRESH MEDICINES, at a small ad-SCHOOL BOOKS.

A full assortment of School Books of every de-scription, which will be sold lower than they can be purchased this side of St. Louis. Arrange-ments have been made which will insure at all times a complete assortment.

Also, Medical, Law, and Theological Books, Novels, Poetical works of different authors. Albums, &c., &c., all of which are offered at prices which cannot fail to please.

Fayette, April 11th, 1846.

Jaconet do. do.
Swiss, do. do.
Kid Gloves and Silk Mitts,
A large assortment of plain, striped, and cross barred Muslins, Swiss and Mult Linen, Cambric hdkfs, &c., &c.
Boonville, April 4th, 1846.

HARDWARE & CUTLERY. NEW STORE.

Thomas B. Veazey,

ing of Nails, spades and shovels, 4 prong forks, horse shoes and horse nails, mill. pit, hand, tennon and Thursday morning.

Should the water be too low at any time for the Wassello to navigate the Missouri River successfully, a light draught boat will be supplied in her place.

Sash saws, braces and bitts, iron braces, extra bitts, augurs and augur bitts, firmer chisels and gonges, socket chisels, gimblets and files of every description, iron and steel squares, carpenters patrim locks, rim, knob and thumb latches, chest, cup-For freight or passage apply to the Captainor hoard, trunk, drawer and pad locks, butt hinges assorted, strap and H. L. hinges, screws all sizes, bolts of every description, chain traces, log chains, back bands and fifth chains, tea and table spoons. Britania, Iron and german silver, butcher shoe knives, ivory knives and forks in setts 51 pieces french fork, knives and forks assorted, Rodger's and Wostenholms fine pen and pocket knives, scissors, razors and shears, razor strops, boxes, brushes and soap, guns, pistols, dirks and dirk knives, powder flasks and shot belts, game bags, powder, shot and bar lead, percussion caps and flints, fishing hooks and lines, shoe hammers, shoe pegs and thread, peg cutters, blacking and shoe brushes, white wash brushes, shovel and tongs, fine weiters and tea boards, pat. spring balances. whips of every description, stage thongs, &c., &c. The public are invited to call and examine, as

is our desire to sell at the lowest rates. Terms--Cash or Country produce. Boonville, April 4th, 1846



DERIFOCAL SPECTACLES-Just received ture, constructed upon scientific principles, and are perfectly easy and natural to the eye. These glasses have been examined and highly recom-mended by Dr. McClelland, of Philadelphia; Dr. For freight or passage apply on board, to the Captain or Clerk.

J. NANSON & SON, Agents, Glasgow.

Mended by Dr. McClelland, or Philadelphia, Dr. McClelland, or Phi

whom is Dr. Lardner.
The subscriber has on hand a complete assort. ment of these invaluable Spectacles, in gold, silver, and steel frames, to which the attention of he public is invited. DAVID KUNKLE. Fayette, april 18th, 1846. he public is invited.

SURGEONS INSTRUMENTS —A general assortment just received and for sale by WM. R. SNELSON.

Fayette, april 18th, 1846.

SCHOOL BOOKS--A complete assortment of every description, for sale cheap, by WM. R. SNELSON.

Fayette, april 18th, 1846. DOWDER and shot flanks, very fine and large sizes, cheap for cash. Fayette, april 25th, 1846. D. KUNKLE

Boots and Shoes.

A N extensive and very choice assortment of Fine and medium calf Boots; Kip and seal Bootees; Calf and seal Bootees; Ladies' Calf, Morocco and Kid slippers and

shoes; Waterproof Kid slippers and shoes; with every article in this line, a fine range of shapes and qualities, each of its kind at as low prices as at any house in the upper country, just received by SWIPLER 4 SMITH.

Fayette, april 25th, 1846.



This celebrated stallion and race horse (full brother to Mark Moore) will stand the ensuing season, commencing on the 20th March and ending on the 1st day of July, 1846, at the stable of Mr. Thomas Ray, in Fayette, Howard county, Mo., and will be let to mares at the very reduced price of \$10, payable within the season, and \$10 the insurance, payable as soon as the fact is ascertained, or the mare parted with.

PEDIGREE & DESCRIPTION. TOM MOORE was sired by American Eclipse, dam Lallah Rookh, by Ogles' Oscar; gran dam, Cinderella, by Duroc, out of Maid of the Oaks, she by the imported Spread Eagle, her dam by the imported Shark.

Tom Moore resembles very much in color and

size his illustrious sire, being a beautiful bright sorrel, 16 hands high, with great length of body, fine, flat, flinty legs, and altogether looking (as he is) the high mettled courser and thorough bred

Insurance mares to attend regularly every ninth Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but no responsibility should any occur.

R. W. WITHERS,

P. SHROYER.

Fayette, May 2d, 1846.

Flying Dutchman, (The property of Thos. A. Panky, of Tennessee.)
Will stand the present season. which has commenced and will end lst July, at the stable of Capt. John Arnold, Howard county, Mo., and will be let to mares at the reduced *******

price of \$5 the leap, payable when the service is rendered; \$7 the season, payable the 1st of January next; and 10 to insure, payaable when the fact is ascertained or the mare parted with. Care will be taken, but no responsibility for accidents. Due attention will be given by FINAS ARNOLD.

PEDIGREE, &c.
FLYING DUTCHMAN is a horse of fine size and action, and has proven himself a race-horse, as will be seen by reference to the American Turf Register. He is a beautiful bay 16½ hands high. and was got by the capital American race-horse John Richards; his dam by the capital American race horse American Eclipse; grand dam by Tippoo Saib; g. grand dam by imp. Royalist, g.g.
grand dam by Pastime, g. g. g. grand dam by
imp. Bashaw, g.g. g. grand dam by imp. Wildair, g.g. g.g. the imp. mare Cub, by Cub 2d,
&c. John Richards was got by Sir Archy, his
dam by Rattler, Rattler by Sir Archy, and Sir
Archy, by imported Diomed. Archy by imported Diomed THOMAS A. PANKY,

Franklin, Tenne-see. 6--4t April 19th, 1946.



J. citizens of Fayette and Howard County, that WHITE takes this method of informing the he has just returned from St. Louis, with the latest and most fashionable style of hats, to sell on commission, having made arrangements with an extensive Manufacturer to supply the above to order, in any quantity and style he may be able to dispose of—at wholesale, or retail, prices when he which they are selling 25 per cent, cheaper than "Cer which they are selling 25 per cent, cheaper th mission, having made arrangements with an exin Fayette. His stock is sufficiently large to accommodate all who may favor him with a call, and on the best of terms, for cash. Fayette, May 2d, 1846.

Valuable Lands for Sale. will sell the following described lands, very

cheap, for cash, or young negroes, viz: Four hundred acres near the City of Jefferson, in Cole county, which will make one of the best farms in that neighborhood.

Three hundred and sixty acres in Randelph co.,

where I now reside, well improved, with good buildings. &c. Also, three quarter sections on Yellow Creek, one in Chariton county, and two in Linn county. The above lands are all rich, well watered and timbered, and will make the best of Tobacco or Hemp

Farms. I will sell to suit purchasers. Some good mules, horses, oxen, or a stock of dry goods be taken in payment. Call and examine, as I am etermined to sell. JOB GOODALL. Randolph county, April 18th, 1846. 6—6m Valuable Slaves

For Sale on Twelve Months Credit. INDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chariton Circuit Court in Chancery sitting, made at the March Term. A. D., 1846, the undersigned as Trustee for the benefit of Parmela W. Royali and others, will, on the 3rd Monday of May, 1846. in the town of Brunswick, in Chariton county and State of Missouri, sell at public auction, on a credit of twelve months, the purchaser giving bond with approved securities, the following described Slaves,

being five in number, viz: SIDDY, a woman, (a valuable servant and the mother of the others,) about 40 years old, AMY, a woman, about 21 years old, MARTHA, a young woman about 17 years old, SALUDA, a girl about 10 years old, and JIM a boy about 13 years old, all of

whom are likely, healthy and valuable. EDWIN PRICE, Trustee. Brunswick spril 18th, 1840.

AWNS.—A handsome article cheap at the People's store. R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

SHEETINGS AND SHIRTINGS.—5-4 and 6-4 bleached and brown sheetings, 3-4 and 4-4 shirtings, at low pri
Cos. for cash.

D. KUNKLE. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

OTTON YARNS -- 10 sacks best cotton yarn, just received and for sale by Roanoke, May 9th, 1846. J. P. Johnston.

TOBACCO.—Superior Aromatic Oronoco To-bacco, a new and choice article, for chewing, received and for sale by JOEL P. JOHNSTON. Roanoke, May 9th, 1246.

ALL OF OREGON!!

THE public are respectfully informed that I have received a large and splendid stock of Spring and Summer Goods, and am determined not to be undersold by any bouse in the upper country—no division of profits at the People's Store—consequently great bargains can at all times be obtained.

R. H. LAW.
Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

HATS.-Leghorn, Paim Leaf, Fur and Castor Hats-latest agony. R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

SHOES.—25 cases all sorts and sizes, cheaper than ever, at the People's store. R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

BALZORINES .-- The newest pattern in this market to be had at the People's store.
R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

SILKS .-- A few patterns newest style silks, for R. H. LAW. ale cheap, by Fayette, april 25th, '46.

PANCY PRINTS .-- 200 pieces calicoes of the newest style for sale by R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

OMESTICS-10 bales white and brown sheet ing and shirtings at the People's Store.
R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

PARABOLS AND SHADES.—Some very handsome at very low prices. R. H. Law. Fayette, april 25th '46.

SUMMER STUFFS-In great variety, very cheap, at the People's store. R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

FOR THE LADIES.—I have a splendid stock of fine Braid and Straw Bonnets, Ribbons and flowers to match. Call and look at them. R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46 .

CLOTHS-A splendid assortment, worthy the attention of those in need of costs, sold cheap at he People's Store. Fayette, april 25th, 1946. R. H. LAW.

GLOVES AND HOSIERY -- A large stock on hand, and in order to make it small, will sell RH LAW Fayette, april 25th, '46

BOOTS AND SHOES-50 cases in store and or sale very low by R. H. LAW. or sale very low by Fayette, april 25th, '46.

VESTINGS-A magnificent assortment, call and take a look, and you will be sure to buy. R. H. LAW. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

W ANTED-Tow and Flax Linen, Becswax, Tallow, Wheat, Feathers, &c., in exchange for Goods. R. H. Law. Fayette, april 25th, '46.

New Concern. HAVING purchased the interest of Jas. P. Hickman in the stock of goods belonging to the late firm of Hickman & Allen, in this place and Boonville, I have associated with me in business David W. Hickman, and will hereafter conduct the business under the name and style of Allen & Hickman, and I return my sincere thanks to the citizens of Howard county for the liberal patronage bestowed on our late firm, and hope by strict attention to business, to merit its continuance on our new concern.

J. B. ALLEN.

Late of Hickman & Allen.

Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

New Goods. The subscribers have on hand and are constantly is a warm bath of itself!" before purchasing elsewhere. ALLEN & HICKMAN.
Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

To the Gentlemen of Howard. WE have just opened a large stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Boots, Hats, Caps, and every article necessary for Gentlemen's wear. and ask a call and examination of prices, all of which we will sell 25 per cent lower than any house in the town of Fayette. Call, and we will prove it to you. ALLEN & HICKMAN.

Prove it to you. ALL. Fayette, april 25th, 1846. To the Ladies of Howard and the adjoining countier.

E have on hand and are now opening the following new and desirable goods for will your use, viz;

Blue black and fancy silks, Shawls and scarfs. A large lot of organdic fancy and lace lawns and muslins,

Graduated organdie and Polka Robes White lace muslins, Jaconett, Swiss and Book Muslins, A large assortment of white and black thule (cotton and silk,)

Plain Chambrey, Ginghams (all colors)

A large assertment of Earlston and Scotch Gingham lawns, hem stitched L. C. Hek'fs .. Common hd kfs., Gloves (new style) Hosiery (all kinds)

Thread Luces, Edgings and Insertings, Green and black Bereges and Berage Scarfs, Kidd Slippers, &c., &c. BONNETS, styles entirely new and only 29 days from New York,

Bonnett Ribbons, Cap and narrow do., in fact every article will be found here that is new and fashionable and will be sold very cheap. ALLEN & HICKMAN. Fayette, april 25th, 1848.

Strange but True.

Why is it that Allen & Hickman sell goods so much lower than any other house in town! I was in Fayette a few days ago, and when looking through town-at the different stocks--I found they were selling goods 50 per cent, cheaper than I could buy the same articles elsewhere.

I tell you, boy, this is the place for us to buy; for if I can buy as much there for \$0, as I can buy for \$10 at other stores, ought I not to do so! I guess you all will do so.

BILL * * * * guess you all will do so. april 25th, 1846.

Coffee, Sugar and Cotton Yarn WE intend keeping constantly on hand a sup-ply of the above articles, which we will sell at the most reduced prices. ALLEN & HICKMAN. Fayette, april 25th, 1846.

BETTER THAN BEAUTY.

My love is not a beauty, To other eyes than mine, Her eyes are not the fairest, Her eyes are not divine: Nor yet like rose buds parted, Her lips of love may be; And though she's not a beauty, She's dear as one to me.

Her neck is far from swan-like, Her bosom unlike snow. Nor walks she like a goddess This breathing world below: But there's a light of happiness Within, which all may see: But though she's not a beauty. She's dear as one to me.

I would not give the kindness The grace that dwells in her, For all the Cupid's blindness In others might prefer! I would not change her sweetness For pearls of any sea, Far better far than beauty Is her kind heart to me!

"SPOON FASHION." A correspondent of the Frederick (Md.) Ex

aminer, relates the following "thrilling incident," which is only matched by an original story we lately published under the caption of "Somebody in My Bed." "Talking of peculiar situations, gentlemen," said Mr. Tatem, "I was once in a singular fix."

"How so-how was that?" said we. "I will tell you. Sagers and myself had gone nia. From the South Pass, then, as a cen-to Cape May, that favorite resort of fashion and tral point, three great valleys are commanfolly, during one of the hottest sessons ever got ded. It is the key to California; it opens upon this continent.-It was intensely hot; I the whole Oregon country from the Rocky

perspire insensibly when I think of it. Have you been at Cape Island, gentlemen?"

A general negative shake of the head followed control of the Mississippi valley." the question.

"Then permit me, as a friend and well wisher, to warn you against the place. A more uninvi-ting resort is not to be found. I have good au thority for stating that it is the only unfinished part of creation. They have a legend down there which runs thus: The hands were at work on this spot at the tail of the sixth day, but night overtook them and they were compelled to sus pend operations, and thus the Island was left incomplete! To those who are familiar with the locality, this is certainly a plausible story. I points will doubtless be regarded .- Missonhave more than once heard it called the "jump rian. ing off place." Sunshine and sand knee-deep are the strongest inducements to pay a second vis it .- To be sure, they say something about the advantage of sea bathing - but look at the risk. 10 you venture beyond your nose, the undertow car-

cabins painted red." "But the story, Mr. Tatem -- the story." Some two or three thousand people were there when we arrived, and every nook and corner was jammed full." After repeated solicitation we

Don't descend to particulars, but give us the

"Certainly. In the room adjoining ours slept dent's signature. cannot do any better. So the public may expect any house in the upper Missouri, and respectfully two beautiful girls—sisters—who, for reasons to get better bargains two doors below Dr. Snelinvite the citizens of Howard and the adjoining best known to myself, shall be nameless. One son's Drug store, than they get at any other house countres to call and examine our stock and prices night, about a week after our arrival, I had gone early to bed, not wishing to participate in any of the abominable "hops" that were given at our

> "Pooh - pooh! it's a ghost story," said Nathan. "No-gentlemen." "Then you were ducked with cold water,

emarked Mr. Blanchard. "Wrong again! Although a cold bath would have been acceptable at the moment. I had been asleep for some time when I was awakened by the most musical voice imaginable, which

"Kate, suppose we lay spoon fashion!"

"Lay how?" enquired I. "Gracious heavens! where am I?" ejaculated my unknown bedfellow, jumping three feet from tion for a modest man! Before I could say, grower. 'angels and ministers of grace defend us,' she had gathered up her "dry goods" and made good her retreat from the room. I am not a coward, manufacturer there can scarcely be a more gentlemen-yet I am free to confess that my serious objection than burrs. nerves were slightly agitated -- Who can she be What can she have wanted here? Were questions that I could not answer .- Had I been a down to the grave with the conviction indelibly mpressed upon my mind that I had actually been in bed with one of the long faced gentry!"

In bed with one of the long faced gentry!"

Who

"Well, what took place then? "Be patient, you shall know everything The two young ladies before mentioned sat opposite to me at the table. I had a very faint suspicion that one of them was a party to the transaction, and in order to remove all doubts the next morning at breakfast I enquired:

"If you please, sir."

"The deep blush that mantled her handsome face told me more plainly than words that she was my ghost of the preceding night. Having gone up without a light, she had mistaken my room for her own, and, but for the "spoon fashion" I arrangement, Sagers would probably have discov ered us in bed together. I am happy to add gentlemen, that the affair has a pleasant de novement. Miss B. and myself are now engoged to be married. When the ceremony takes place, you shall be present, and if you do not pro nounce her the loveliest and most accomplished of her sex, then I will unhesitatingly admit there is romance in the phrese "spoon fashion."

No. 10.

It is situated far north of the 42d parallel. which is the boundary between our territory and that of Mexico. About six miles from our encampment carried us to the summit. The ascent had been so gradual. that with all the intimute knowledge posessed by Carson, who had made this counry his home for seventeen years, we were obliged to watch very closely to find the place at which we had reached the culminaing point. This was between two low hills, rising on either hand fi ty or sixty feet. When I looked back on them, f. om the foot of the intermediate slope on the western plain, their summits appeared to be about one hundred and twenty leet above. From the impression on my mind at the time and subsequently on my return, I should compare the elevation which we surmounted

THE SOUTH PASS.

to the Oregon territory as one of easy au-

cess and gradual elevation :

Captain Fremont describes this avenue

ington. "The width of the Pass is estimated at about nineteen miles. It has nothing of he gorge like character and winding ascents of the Alleghany passes-nothing resembling the St. Bernard or Simplon passes of the Alps. For one hundred miles the elevation is regular and gradual. It presents the aspect of a sandy plain; and the traveller without being reminded of any change by the toilsome ascents, suddenly finds him-self on the waters that flow to the Pacific

immediately at the Pass, to the ascent of

the Capitol hill from the avenue at Wash-

"The importance of this Pass is immense. It opens the way into the valley of Oregon. and is the only avenue to that country from he interior for a long distance. By observing the map, it will be seen that three great rivers take their rise in the neighborhood of the Pass-the Platte, the Columbia, and the Colorado. The first is a tributary of the Missouri; the second, draining all Oregon, discharges all its accumulated waters into the Pacific; the third flows southwardly and empties into the Bay of California. From the South Pass, then, as a cen-

control of the Mississippi valley."

As the South Pass is in our undisputed erritory its importance will doubtless attract the attention of the government. Fort Laramie, on the Platte, about three hundred miles from the Pass, is mentioned by Capt. Fremont as a suitable point for a national post, it is now merely a station for traders. the President's recommendation is carried out, to construct forts and block houses on the route to Oregon, these important

COUNTERFEIT.

The public are aware of the counterfeits on the last issue of a five dollar bill by the State Bank of Indiana, in which bill the vigries you out, and death by drowning is invitable. nette consists of two females, an iron chest, After which follow "grappling irons," and the a steamboat and the bow and mast of a ves-indignity of a "corner's inquest!" The spot is sel. This is to give notice that late issues distinguished by a half dozen stunted trees, two or of the counterfeits of this bill have been seen. three apologies for hotels, and three or fout in which the number of flowers in the wreath around the brow of the females in the vignette is made to correspond with "All in good time, gentlemen. I said Sagers the genuine, and the signatures are well and myself were foolish enough to go down. done, but the distinct lines in the clouds around the vignette may still be observed, and may be relied upon, in detecting the counterfinally succeeded in getting a small room with the feit, as in the genuine, the clouding is soft privilege of sleeping two in a bed. The ther. and blended, and no lines are perceptible by mometer at 90 and two in a bed!-The thought the naked eye. These late counterfeits, so far as noticed, are on Lawrenceburgh and Bedford branches, the filling up of the Bedford notes being in blue ink, except the Presi-

JAMES M. RAY, Cashier.

State Bank of Indiana, April 22, 1846. TO WOOL GROWERS.

The subjoined directions for shearers are from an eastern house to their correspondents in this section. They may be found useful :

As the season is at hand when the wool growers prepare to take off their clips, we beg leave to offer them a few suggestions relative to the mode of putting up their wool. We do so in view of the increasing importance of this trade, and the necessity of having an article to please buyers on European account. 1. Fleece : wash it perfectly clean.

2. Carefully exclude all tags and manure. the bed; and she (for it was a woman) would making up such inferior parcels into separhave jumped farther, but want of room permitted ate lots of tub-washed. This course will alno striking display of agility. Here was a situa ways be found to be the true interest of the 3. In case of burrs, be particular to clip them off before folding the fleece. To a

4. Having shorn the fleece, fold it equally from each side in such monner as to expose the wool that was next to the skin, believer in ghosts, I should probably have gone and roll from the butt, turning the neck over the fleece about twelve inches. Pass

> dle around and across the fleece, tying a firm not in the centre. 5. Five yards of a stout forty inch Burlap makes a sack of the size most conve-

twine of the size of a common darning nec-

ment for all purposes. We may add, as a general remark. That attention to the appearance of the article, and the condition in which it shall reach Miss B., shall I help you to a little of this the market, will always command a remi-

nerating price in the east. We think a compliance with the forego-"Will you have it spoon fashion?" said I care. ing suggestions, which we respectfully submit to your consideration, will result to the profit of the grower.

Soft is the light which the moonbeams fling.

TO SALLY ANN. Soft is the down of the butterfly's wing; Soft is the whisper when lovers speak:

But softer by far is my lady love's check. SALLY'S REPLY. Soft am taters all mash'd up, And mush are soft as soft kin be. But softer be's that silly pup.

Vot writ that varse to me Go it Sarah' never mind your bonnet.